

July 27, 2017

**Via Certified Mail**

Regional Freedom of Information Officer  
U.S. EPA, Region 10  
Office of Ecosystems, Tribal and Public Affairs  
1200 6th Avenue ETPA-124  
Seattle, WA 98101

Re: *Freedom of Information Act Request: Fourth Avenue and Gambell Parking Lot-  
EPA Site No. AKN001002925, ADEC File ID No. 2100.38.434*

Dear Freedom of Information Act Officer(s):

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), 5 U.S.C. § 552, and implementing regulations adopted by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") at 40 C.F.R. Chapter 1, Part 2, we request copies of all documents and records, including all electronic documents and communications, (collectively, "records") in EPA Region 10's possession, custody, or control related to EPA Site No. AKN001002925 (Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) File ID # 2100.38.434), also known as the "Fourth Avenue and Gambell Street Site" located at 717 East 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue in Anchorage, Alaska, ("Site"), as follows:

- (1) any and all records dated between February 7, 2014 and July 27, 2017, related to any investigations, studies, or analysis performed by or at the direction of EPA or ADEC at the Site (EPA Site No. AKN001002925 / ADEC File ID # 2100.38.434);
- (2) any and all records dated between February 7, 2014 and July 27, 2017, related to implementation of remedial actions at the Site (EPA Site No. AKN001002925 / ADEC File ID # 2100.38.434);
- (3) any and all records dated between February 7, 2014 and July 27, 2017, related to anticipated remedial actions proposed or planned for the Site (EPA Site No. AKN001002925 / ADEC File ID # 2100.38.434);
- (4) any and all records arising out of or related to a teleconference between ADEC and EPA staff that took place on December 5, 2014 wherein the Site and related remedial activities were discussed (EPA Site No. AKN001002925 / ADEC File ID # 2100.38.434), and;
- (5) any and all records discussing the anticipated timeline of remedial activities at the Site (EPA Site No. AKN001002925 / ADEC File ID # 2100.38.434).




As required by the FOIA, we would appreciate your response to this request within ten (10) business days. If any part of this request is denied, please list the specific exemptions which are claimed for withholding information along with an identification of the records being withheld. If some but not all records are being withheld as exempt, please provide all nonexempt portions which are reasonably severable. If we do not receive a response within this time, we will consider our request denied.

It is not our intent to impose an unnecessary administrative burden upon you or your staff. We would be pleased to work with you to explain or reformulate this request as necessary. We are willing to accept copies of the requested documents in either electronic or hard copy form, whichever is more efficient and less burdensome for the Agency. Finally, if the cost of responding to this request would exceed \$100, we request that you contact us before responding.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please call me at (206) 470-3587.

Sincerely,

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for Richard A. Du Bey

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